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131	No. F.46(II)/53-L., dated the 16th Nov. 1953.	Ministry of Law.	Nomination of Dr. P. V. Kane to the Council of States.
132	No. 149-ITC(P.N.)/53, dated the 16th Nov. 1953.	Ministry of Commerce and Industry.	Prohibited items of cycle parts during July—December 1953 licensing period.
133	No. F. 46-I/53-L., dated the 19th Nov. 1953.	Ministry of Law.	Declaration to fill a vacancy in the Council of States by Shri Allury Satyanarayananaraju.
	No. 151-ITC(P.N.)/53, dated the 19th Nov. 1953.	Ministry of Commerce and Industry.	Imports of (i) Ball bearing, (ii) Bolts and nuts and (iii) Oil-seals for use as spare parts of agricultural tractors.

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PART I—Section 1

Notifications relating to Non-Statutory Rules, Regulations and Orders and Resolutions issued by the Ministries of the Government of India (other than the Ministry of Defence) and by the Supreme Court

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS*New Delhi, the 17th November 1953*

No. 1001-CAP/53.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Abducted Persons (Recovery & Restoration) Act, 1949 (LXV of 1949), and in partial modification of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of External Affairs No. 920-CAP/53, dated the 29th September, 1953, and, also, in accordance with the agreement entered into, in this behalf, between the Government

of India and the Government of Pakistan, the Central Government hereby constitutes, with effect from the 6th November, 1953, a Tribunal for the purposes of that Section, consisting of:—

1. Shri Thakur Dass, Officer on Special Duty, Recovery Organisation, India.
2. Mian Ghulam Haidar, Incharge, Central Recovery Office, Pakistan.

I. S. CHOPRA, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE**(Department of Economic Affairs)***New Delhi, the 18th November 1953***No. D. 8356-F. 1/53.**—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India, as on the 13th November 1953**BANKING DEPARTMENT**

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital (paid up)	5,00,00,000	Notes	16,33,19,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin	19,54,000
Deposits :—		Subsidiary Coin	4,04,000
(a) Government :—		Bills Purchased and Discounted :—	
(i) Central Government	101,31,97,000	(a) Internal	24,50,000
(ii) Other Governments	27,08,74,000	(b) External
(b) Banks	49,50,04,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	2,97,13,000
(c) Others	57,25,86,000	Balances held abroad*	142,81,08,000
Bills Payable	4,38,71,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	27,00,000
Other Liabilities	13,66,64,000	Other Loans and Advances†	11,18,99,000
	TOTAL	Investments	82,31,53,000
	263,21,96,000	Other Assets	6,84,96,000
		TOTAL	263,21,96,000

*Includes Cash and Short term Securities.

†(i) The item 'Other Loans and Advances' includes Rs. 49,45,000 advanced to scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17 (4) (c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act.

(a) The total amount of advances availed of by scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17 (4) (c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act since 1st January 1953 is Rs. 65,83,63,000.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 13th day of November 1953.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	16,33,19,000	A.— Gold Coin and Bullion :—	
Notes in circulation	1109,24,34,000	(a) Held in India	40,01,71,000
Total Notes issued	1125,57,56,000	(b) Held outside India
		Foreign Securities	568,15,11,000
		Total of A	608,16,82,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1125,57,56,000	B.— Rupee Coin	96,02,56,000
		Government of India Rupee Securities	421,38,18,000
		Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial paper
		TOTAL ASSETS	1125,57,56,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities : 54.032 per cent.

Dated the 18th day of November 1953.

N. SUNDARESAN, Dy. Governor.

New Delhi, the 25th November 1953

No. D. 8535-F. 1/53.—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India, as on the 20th November 1953.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000	Notes	25,25,15,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin	19,82,000
Deposits :—		Subsidiary Coin	4,40,000
(a) Government :—		Bills Purchased and Discounted:—	
(1) Central Government	94,75,38,000	(a) Internal	25,50,000
(2) Other Governments	30,15,28,000	(b) External
(b) Banks	62,10,94,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	2,97,13,000
(c) Others	56,82,67,000	Balances held abroad*	142,68,70,000
Bills Payable	2,99,68,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	86,00,000
Other Liabilities	14,48,51,000	Other Loans and Advances†	10,82,74,000
		Investments	81,25,02,000
		Other Assets	6,98,00,000
TOTAL	271,32,46,000	TOTAL	271,32,46,000

*Includes Cash and Short term Securities.

†(1) The item 'Other Loans and Advances' includes Rs. 49,45,000 advanced to scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17 (4) (c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act.

(2) The total amount of advances availed of by scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17 (4) (c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act since 1st January 1953 is Rs. 65,83,63,000.

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Notes held in the Banking Department.	25,25,15,000		A.—Gold Coin and Bullion :—		
Notes in circulation	1101,05,49,000		(a) Held in India	40,01,71,000	
Total Notes issued		1126,30,64,000	(b) Held outside India	
			Foreign Securities	568,15,11,000	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1126,30,64,000	Total of A		608,16,82,000
			B.—Rupee Coin		96,75,64,000
			Government of India Rupee Securities		421,38,18,000
			Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial paper
			TOTAL ASSETS		1126,30,64,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities : 53.997 per cent.

Dated the 25th day of November 1953.

N. SUNDARESAN, Dy. Governor.

K. G. AMBEGAOKAR, Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

ORDER

EXPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 14th November 1953

No. 91-CW(1)/51.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1947 (XVIII of 1947), the Central Government hereby directs that the following further amendment shall be made in the Notification

of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry No. 91-CW(1)/51, dated the 7th July 1952, namely:—

In the Schedule annexed to the said Notification—

In Part A:

For item No. 17, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"17. Oilcakes, all sorts, excluding mowah oilcake, neemseed oilcake and tobacco-seed oilcake."

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 21st November 1953

SUBJECT:—Imitation Gold Leaf—Imitation Silver Leaf—Classification of.

No. 150-ITC(P.N.)/53.—The correct classification of the items mentioned below is as shown against them:—

Imitation Gold Leaf—S. No. 265-IV.

Imitation Silver Leaf—S. No. 17-II.

If the imitation silver leaf is made predominantly of Aluminium it should be classified under S. No. 12-II as 'Aluminium manufactures'.

Quota licences issued for the above Import Trade Control Serial Numbers will be valid for import of the respective goods. No request of recalculation of quotas in consequence of the Public Notice will be entertained.

K. B. LALL, Joint Secy.

RESOLUTIONS

New Delhi, the 18th November 1953

No. 50(9)-Law(TM)/50.—The Government of India consider that the laws in India bearing upon Trade Marks and Merchandise Marks on goods need to be reviewed to see what changes and modifications are necessary, particularly to ensure effective remedies against the infringement of such marks and also against the sale of spurious goods. The commercial community has made many representations to Government on the point and has also raised the question of India acceding to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, 1883. After careful consideration the Government of India have decided to set up a Trade Marks Enquiry Committee with the following terms of reference:—

- (i) To consider and report whether any, and if so, what changes in the existing law and practice relating to Trade and Merchandise Marks are desirable;
- (ii) To consider particularly the provisions of the Trade Marks Act, 1940, and the Merchandise Marks Act, 1889, as well as of the Indian Penal Code and the Drugs Act, 1940 and other laws in their relation to infringement and fraudulent imitation of Trade Marks and Merchandise Marks, and to suggest ways and means of dealing more effectively with such anti-social activities;
- (iii) To recommend what measures should be taken to safeguard the registered owners of Indian marks in foreign countries;
- (iv) To examine the working of the Trade Marks Registry and the services rendered to the public and to recommend such changes as may appear desirable;
- (v) To consider and report on any other matter incidental to the administration of the law of Trade Marks and Merchandise Marks bearing on the development of Indian Trade and Industry.

2. The Committee will consist of:—

- (i) Shri K. S. Shavaksha, Bar-at-Law, Registrar of Trade Marks—(Chairman Ex-Officio).
- (ii) Shri Raman Bhai B. Amin—Member.
- (iii) Shri K. T. Chandy, Bar-at-Law—Member.
- (iv) Shri A. Alagiriswami—Secretary.

The services of Mr. C. F. Whyman, an expert from the United Kingdom, have been obtained by the Government of India to act as Adviser to the Committee.

3. The headquarters of the Committee will be at Bombay. The Committee may also visit such other places as it may consider essential for purposes of its enquiry. The report of the Committee should be submitted to the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry not later than the end of February, 1954.

TARIFFS

New Delhi the 28th November 1953

No. 45(1)-T.B./53.—The Tariff Commission has submitted its Report on the continuance of protection to the Button Industry on the basis of an enquiry undertaken by it under Section 11(e) read with sections 13

and 15 of the Tariff Commission Act, 1951. Its recommendations are as follows:—

- (1) The plastic buttons industry needs protection against imports from Japan only. The protective duty on plastic buttons should, therefore, be fixed at 66-2/3 per cent. *ad valorem* or 12 annas per gross whichever is higher. This duty should remain in force upto 31st December, 1955.
- (2) No protection is required for the indigenous dumnut, mother-of-pearl or metal buttons against competition from the same varieties of buttons imported from any source.
- (3) Provided suitable administrative arrangements can be made, the duty paid on urea formaldehyde powder used in the production of plastic buttons which are exported should be refunded.
- (4) The Chief Research Officer, Central Inland Fisheries Research Station, Calcutta, should be requested to undertake an investigation into the biology of the living shells in the river beds and the factors affecting the thickness of the shell, and formulate a development programme.
- (5) The Directors of Industries in the States concerned should give necessary assistance to the metal button factories, which are mostly small and unorganised, in obtaining import licences for celluloid, polishing materials, nickel salts and nickel anodes.
- (6) Subject to the availability of foreign exchange, the nut button factories should be allowed to import their requirements of crozonuts.
- (7) The request of the dumnut button manufacturers for the grant of licences on an annual basis for the import of dumnuts deserves favourable consideration.
- (8) The manufacturers should approach the Indian Standards Institution and co-operate with it in evolving standard specifications for the different varieties of buttons.

2. Government accept recommendations (1) and (2) and steps are being taken to implement them.

3. As regards recommendation (3) it is open to the industry to apply under the provisions of the Sea Customs (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 3 of 1953, dated October 24, 1953.

4. Recommendations (4) to (7) have also been accepted by Government and steps will be taken to implement them as far as possible.

5. The attention of the Industry is invited to recommendation (8).

TARIFFS

New Delhi, the 28th November 1953

No. 45(1)-T.B./53.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1934 (XXXII of 1934), the Central Government hereby directs that the customs duties leviable under item 85 of the First Schedule to the said Act on buttons, studs and cuff links, as specified in the second column of the Table annexed hereto, shall be modified as indicated in the third column of the said Table.

TABLE

Item No. of Tariff	Name of article	Modified duty	
		1	2
85	Buttons, studs and cuff links—		
	(a) made of metals other than gold or silver.	66-2/3 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	
	(b) made of porcelain.	66-2/3 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	
	(c) made of plastics.	66-2/3 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> or 12 annas per gross, whichever is higher.	
	(d) not otherwise specified, but excluding jewellery, and articles made of glass or plated with gold or silver or both.	66-2/3 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	

L. K. JHA, Joint Secy.

CORRIGENDUM TO PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 28th November 1953

SUBJECT:—Import of Laboratory Chemicals.

No. 146-ITC(P.N.)/53.—Reference is invited to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry Public Notice No. 146-ITC(P.N.)/53, dated the 14th November 1953 on the above subject.

The dates of the Public Notices No. 1-ITC(P.N.)/53 and 64-ITC(P.N.)/53 referred to therein are 3rd January, 1953 and 18th April, 1953 respectively and not the 3rd June, 1953 and 8th April, 1953 as published inadvertently.

S. KRISHNASWAMY,
Joint Chief Controller of Imports
and Exports.

MINISTRY OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

(Agriculture)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 24th November 1953

No. F.36-9/53-P.C.III.—The Government of India in the Ministry of Food and Agriculture, in consultation with the Reserve Bank of India, have decided to appoint a Central Committee for formulating plans and for organising and directing arrangements in regard to the training of the personnel employed or to be employed, in the Co-operative Departments and Institutions in the several States. The Committee will consist of the following:—

Chairman

1. Shri V. L. Mehta, Vice-Chairman, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute, Bombay.

Members

2. Shri R. G. Saraiya, President of the Bombay State Co-operative Bank, Navsari Chambers, Outram Road, Bombay.

3. Prof. D. G. Karve, Programme Evaluation Organisation Planning Commission, New Delhi.

4. Shri Tarlok Singh, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary, Planning Commission, New Delhi.

5. Shri M. R. Bhide, I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Food and Agriculture, New Delhi.

6. Shri J. C. Ryan, I.A.S., Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Madras.

7. Shri R. P. Bharadwaj, I.A.S., Joint Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.

8. Shri G. D. Goswamy, I.A.S., Registrar of Co-operative Societies, West Bengal, Calcutta.

9. Shri R. P. Bhargava, I.A.S., Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Rajasthan, Jaipur.

10. Shri B. Venkatappiah, I.C.S., Executive Director, Reserve Bank of India, Bombay.

Member—Secretary

11. The Chief Officer, Agricultural Credit Department, Reserve Bank of India, Bombay.

2. It has been decided that the training arrangements will broadly consist of two types—

- (i) those for which assistance will be given to the State Governments on a grant-in-aid or other suitable basis for the organisation and expansion of arrangements for the training of co-operative personnel employed in the subordinate ranks in Government Departments and Co-operative Institutions in the States; and
- (ii) those for which arrangements are to be made for providing necessary facilities for the training of the personnel employed in the higher and intermediate grades of the Co-operative Departments and Societies. The Reserve Bank of India have agreed to undertake responsibility for the training of the higher and intermediate personnel, while the Government of India will be primarily responsible for the provision of facilities for the training of the sub-ordinate personnel. In regard to the training of the higher and intermediate grade personnel, the Committee will function as a Committee of the Reserve Bank of India, while in regard to the training of the subordinate personnel, the Committee will function as a Committee of the Government of India.

3. The terms of reference of the Committee, insofar as it functions as a Committee of Government of India will be:—

- (i) To survey and examine the existing facilities in different States for the training of Co-operative personnel and invite schemes from State Governments for the organisation and/or expansion of arrangements for the training of subordinate personnel employed in Co-operative Departments and Societies;
- (ii) To submit proposals to the Government of India for grants-in-aid to States based on the requirements of the States in the direction indicated in (i) above;
- (iii) To lay down the conditions under which such grants-in-aid should be disbursed;
- (iv) To call for such reports, information or reviews, as may be necessary, from the State Governments regarding the details of the working and the expenditure on the schemes for which aids are administered under these terms of reference; and
- (v) To generally advise the Government of India in regard to the steps to be taken to promote co-operative training and education in the country.

H. M. PATEL, Secy.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

New Delhi, the 21st November 1953

No. F.31-8/53-S.1.—The following amendment has been made to the Central State Scholarships Rules published in Part I, Section 1 of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st October, 1951, as amended by the Ministry of Education, Notification No. F.10-1/50-S.4/S.1, dated the 24th March, 1951:—

Add the following at the end of sub-para (b) of para 2 of General Rules.

(c) Fees will be paid by Government to Universities/institutions direct.

This amendment takes effect from the 1st October, 1953.

D. MADHAVI,
Assistant Educational Adviser.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

New Delhi, the 18th November 1953

No. F.21-7/53-M.III.—In pursuance of sub-rule (1) of rule 3 of the Ranchi Mental Hospital Trustees Rules, 1922, the Central Government hereby notifies that Mr. A. N. Hildreth B.A., B.T., 45, Stephen House, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the Hospital for Mental Diseases at Ranchi, by the All India Anglo-Indian Association vice Mr. R. Raines resigned.

New Delhi, the 21st November 1953

No. F.6-10/53-D.S.—The Indian Pharmacopoeia Committee was constituted in the Government of India, Ministry of Health, notification No. F.1-1/48-D.S., dated the 23rd November, 1948, for the preparation of an Indian Pharmacopoeia and for keeping it up-to-date. The term of office of the present members and Chairman of the Committee is due to expire on the 23rd November, 1953 and the question of reconstituting the Committee has been under the consideration of the Government of India. In view, however, of the fact that the Pharmacopoeia prepared by the present Committee and its Sub-Committees is still in the process of being finalised, the Government of India have decided that the present Committee will be allowed to continue for a further period of one year, with effect from the 23rd November, 1953, with the only change that the Director General of Health Services shall cease to be its *ex-officio* member and Chairman. The Government of India have also decided that Dr. B. N. Ghosh, F.R.F.P.S. (GLAS.), L.M.(DUB.), F.S.M.F. (BENG.), F.R.S. (EDIN.), Professor of Pharmacology, R. G. Kar Medical College, Calcutta shall be the Chairman of the Indian Pharmacopoeia Committee, with effect from the 23rd November, 1953.

KRISHNA BIHARI, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(Railway Board)

New Delhi, the 17th November 1953

No. 53/W/160/11.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Government Inspector of Railways, Bangalore, having inspected the Madura-Usilampatti portion of the Madura-Bodinayakanur restoration on Southern Railways, a length of 23·16 miles, on the Metre Gauge, authorised its opening for the public carriage of passengers with effect from 10th September 1953.

The Railway Board after considering the report of the Government Inspector of Railways have confirmed his action.

New Delhi, the 18th November 1953

No. 52/W/122/15.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board) have decided that a Preliminary Engineering Survey be carried out by the Central Railway for a Broad Gauge Railway line from Diva to Dasgaon.

R. E. de SA,
Joint Director, Civil Engineering.

New Delhi, the 25th November 1953

No. 6265-TC.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Railways (Railway Board), No. 6265-TC dated the 7th November, 1951, the Central Government hereby constitutes the following panels of assessors for a period of two years with effect from the 1st December, 1953, namely.—

I. THE TRADE, INDUSTRY AND AGRICULTURE PANEL.

Persons representing Trade

- Shri Vallabhdas Peraj, 283, Devkaran Niwas (1st Floor), Wadgadi, Bombay—3.
- Shri Brijmohandas Mishra, Messrs. Ramniwas Kumaria Limited, 29A, Sir Hariram Goenka Street, Calcutta—7.
- Shri Punjalal N. Shah, C/o The Yarn Merchants' Association, 111, Chawla Building, Tambakanta, Bombay—3.
- Shri B. M. Ahuja, Messrs. Ahuja Stores, Chandni Chowk, Delhi—6.
- Shri Manilal H. Patel, Messrs. Manilal Patel & Co., Kamer Building, Fort, Bombay.
- Shri S. N. Bagla, 'Bagla Cottage', Shrimati Parbati Bagla Road, Kanpur.
- Shri C. Y. Anjaneyulu, 2/44, Venkatachala Mudali Street, Madras—3.
- Shri K. B. Bhandare, Machinery Merchant, Hubli.
- Shri Tulsidas M. Vishram, 57-59, Kazi Syed Street, Mandvi, Bombay.
- Shri H. Sitaram, M/S. General Produce Dealers (Madras) Limited, 2/25, Perumal Mudali Street, Madras.
- Shri B. P. Agarwalla, Messrs. Dhansar Coal Co., Ltd., Jharia (Eastern Railway).
- Shri P. Suryanarayana, 178, Govindappa Naick Street, Madras—1.
- Shri Anandji Haridas, Messrs. Anandji Haridas & Co, Ltd., 251, Argyle Road, Carnac Bunder, Bombay—9.
- Shri A. Shanmugham, Manager, Cement, Marketing Co. of India Limited, Coimbatore.
- Shri Matadin Khaitan, 9, Ramkumar Rakshit Lane, Calcutta—7.
- Shri Chhotelal Sarawgee, Messrs. Ramjeevun Sarawgee and Sons, 24, Netaji Subhas Road, Calcutta—1.
- Shri Ramnarayan Mohnot, C/o The Jute' Balers Association, 5, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta
- Shri S. M. Dahanukar, Industrial Assurance Building, Churchgate Street, Fort, Bombay.
- Shri S. C. Bose, Hon. General Secretary, Orissa Chamber of Commerce, Tinkonia Bagicha, Cuttack—1.
- Shri V. M. S. Velusamy Nadar, 71, Amman San-nadhi, Madurai.

Persons representing Industry

- Shri Shantilal Mangaldas, C/o The Jehangir Vakil Mills Co., Limited, P O Box No. 16, Ahmedabad.

- Shri D. C. Kothari, 'Oriental Building', Armenian Street, Madras—1.
- Shri Navin H. Mapara, Ghodbunder Road, Santa Curz, Bombay—23.
- Shri A. M. M. Murugappa Chettiar, Messrs. Ajax Products Limited, 106, Armenian Street, G. T. Madras.
- Shri B. L. Agarwalla, Colliery Proprietor, Jharia (Eastern Railway).
- Shri B. N. Banerjee, 22, Strand Road, Calcutta
- Shri B. Maitra, C/o The Calcutta Chemical Co., Ltd., 35, Panditia Road, Calcutta—29.
- Shri Som Raj Kapur, C/o Messrs. Shambhunath & Sons Ltd., G. T. Road, Amritsar.
- Shri Jayantilal P. Sanghrajka, C/o Messrs. Jee-wanlal (1929) Limited, 127, Mint Street, Madras—1.
- Shri B. D. Somani, Shreeniwas House, Waudby Road, Fort, Bombay.
- Shri R. P. Niveta, 51, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay.
- Shri N. K. Bajoria, C/o The Star Paper Mills Ltd., Saharanpur.
- Shri Shankarrao P. Ogale, Messrs. Mysore Glass & Enamel Works Limited, 34, Gandhinagar, Bangalore City.
- Shri D. P. Goenka, Messrs. Ramdutt Ramkishen-dass, 4, Clive Ghat Street, Calcutta.
- Shri Maddi Sudarsanam, C/o The Andhra Cham-ber of Commerce, 272-273, Angappa Naick Street, G. T. Madras—1.
- Shri S. P. Godrej, Messrs. Godrej Soaps Limited, Delisle Road, Bombay—11.
- Mian Mohamed Latif, Managing Director, Eas-tern Tannery Limited, Jajmau, Kanpur.
- Shri H. C. Kothari, Messrs. Kothari & Sons, 'Oriental Building', Armenian Street, Madras—1.
- Shri T. M. Rangachari, Managing Director, Gun-tur Tobaccos Limited, 2/6, Second Line Beach, Madras—1.
- Rai Bahadur B. G. Mookerjee, Messrs. National Rubber Mfrs. Limited, Bakulia House, Calcutta —23

Persons representing Agriculture

- Shri Muni Reddy, M.A., B.L., M.L.A., P.O. Hosur, Salem Dist.
- Shri Anantachari, B.A., B.L., Salem.
- Shri G. L. Narayana, M.A., B.L., Nidubrolu, Gun-tur Dist.
- Shri Godavaris Misra, Ex. Minister, Cuttack.
- Dr. Ramsubhag Singh, M.P., Khajuria, P O Dhawar, Arrah Dist.
- Shri Manubhai C. Patel, Shajanpur.
- Shri Rambhai Patel, Gandhigram, Panigate, Ajwa Road, Baroda.
- Ch. Surajmal, Advocate, M.L.C., Hissar.
- Shri Satish Chandra Samanta, M.P., 7. Electric Lane, New Delhi.
- Shri Ramswaroop Chandel, Advocate, Moti Dungri Road, Jaipur.
- Shri C. L. Patel, 78, North Avenue, New Delhi.
- Shri L. H. Thimma Bovi, B.A., Lakkavalli She-moga Dist., Mysore (Ex. Member Council of States)
- Shri N. Rama Iyer, B.A., M.L., Landlord, Alleppey, Travancore-Cochin State.
- Shri Mohammed Ibrahim Ansari, M.P., 12-C, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi.
- Shri Y. N. Paonikar, Advocate, Kelibagh Road, Nagpur.
- Shri Tulshidas Sahayogi, Handloom Congress, Hathras, Aligarh Dist.
- Shri Butaram Goswami, Punjab Farm, Balpur, Amiya, Pilibhit.
- Shri Bhaskar Rao, B.A., Suryapet, Nalgonda Dist
- Shri Maldev Odedra, B.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Por-bunder, Saurashtra.
- Shri R. V. Bet, Advocate, Sholapur.

II. THE RAILWAY PANEL

- Shri Rajendra Dev, Northern Railway.
- Shri M. P. Sathaya, Northern Railway.
- Shri G. S. Khosla, Northern Railway.
- Shri V. B. Ahuja, Northern Railway.

5. Shri Jagadish Prasad Mathur, Northern Railway.
6. Shri S. K. Mukerjee, North Eastern Railway.
7. Shri H. L. Biswas, North Eastern Railway.
8. Shri G. S. Mathur, North Eastern Railway.
9. Shri L. M. Mazumdar, North Eastern Railway.
10. Shri Anand Mohan, Eastern Railway.
11. Shri M. N. Chakravarti, Eastern Railway.
12. Shri K. S. Banerjee, Eastern Railway.
13. Shri D. Mahadevan, Eastern Railway.
14. Shri S. V. M. Sundaram, Eastern Railway.
15. Shri G. S. A. Saldanha, Southern Railway.
16. Shri N. Kamalakara Rao, Southern Railway.
17. Shri K. Sundararaja Iyengar (Retired), Southern Railway.
18. Shri A. C. Read, Southern Railway. (Leave preparatory to retirement from 12th May, 1953).
19. Shri N. V. Vaidyanathan (Retired), Southern Railway.
20. Shri K. N. Chennabasappa, Southern Railway.
21. Shri D. B. Patel, Southern Railway.
22. Shri S. K. Mukherjee, Central Railway.
23. Shri B. Natarajan, Central Railway.
24. Shri N. B. Mehta (Retired), Central Railway.
25. Shri T. B. Balan, Central Railway.
26. Shri S. P. Ranganadham, Central Railway.
27. Shri S. S. Ramasubban, Western Railway.
28. Shri D. R. Khanna, Western Railway.
29. Shri J. E. Castellino, Western Railway.
30. Shri S. M. C. Pinto, Western Railway.

The appointment of persons named under each panel shall be for a term of two years commencing from the 1st December, 1953.

S. K. GUHA,
Director, Traffic (General).

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

(Transport Wing)

RESOLUTION

PORTS

New Delhi, the 17th November 1953

No. 13-PI(94)/53.—The Government of India have received the Administration Report of the Port of Madras for the year 1952-53. The following are the noteworthy features of the Report:—

(1) *Financial Results.*—The revenue receipts of the Port Trust (i.e. excluding the receipts of the Port Fund and the Pilotage Fund) for the year under review were Rs. 147.58 lakhs as against Rs. 136.03 lakhs in the previous year thus showing an increase of Rs. 11.55 lakhs.

The net expenditure for the year excluding the amount held under "suspense" and the amounts paid as contributions to the various funds aggregating Rs. 66.54 lakhs, amounted to Rs. 84.56 lakhs as against Rs. 87.14 lakhs in the previous year.

The actual working expenses during the year amounted to 53.64 per cent. of the income compared with 60.09 per cent. in the previous year.

The balances in the various reserve funds of the Port Trust at the end of the year were satisfactory.

During the year under review the Port Trust repaid the sterling loan of £ 3,30,000 raised in 1923.

The Pilotage Fund receipts and expenditure amounted to Rs. 3.56 lakhs and Rs. 3.74 lakhs respectively. The excess was covered by the opening balance of Rs. 1.90 lakhs which was available in the Fund on the 1st April 1952. The receipts, expenditure and closing balance of the Port Fund amounted to Rs. 6.71, Rs. 7.72 and Rs. 2 lakhs respectively.

(2) *Traffic.*—The total tonnage of imports and exports which passed through the Port during the year was imports 1,869,082 and exports 335,685 as against 1,854,882 and 300,138 respectively in the previous year. The trade as a whole thus showed a small increase during the year.

The tonnage of food grains imported through the Port during the year was 340,272 as against 489,028 of the previous year.

The tonnage of coal imported by sea during the year was 454,758 compared with 274,047 in the previous year.

The increase in exports was mainly due to larger exports of ores, scrap iron and groundnut oil viz. 129,352 tons, 24,368 tons and 43,738 tons as compared to 99,801 tons, 17 tons and 31,867 tons during 1951-52. The export of ores was the highest since 1947-48.

(3) *Value of trade.*—The value of the total trade of the Port during the year was about Rs. 14,781.05 lakhs as against Rs. 17,827.48 lakhs during the previous year.

(4) *Shipping.*—The number of vessels that entered the harbour during the year was 1097 against 1091 in the previous year and the total tonnage increased from 3,626,246 to 3,842,518. The average tonnage of each steamer or motor vessel was 3739.88.

(5) *Capital Works.*—Important works sanctioned or completed during the year were:

(a) Part A of Stage I of the Scheme for the Development of Madras Harbour has been sanctioned at an estimated cost of ..	Rs. 1,15,00,000
(b) Three new barges have been added at a cost of ..	Rs. 2,09,500
(c) Purchase of ten new 50-ton barges has been ordered at a cost of ..	Rs. 3,35,800
(d) Two new 'A' Class locomotives have been added at a cost of ..	Rs. 3,30,000
(e) A 1000-ton hopper barge "Sandpiper" has been acquired for ..	Rs. 10,90,000
(f) Wells with high level tanks have been sunk at a cost of ..	Rs. 78,000

The extension of the Sand Screen at an estimated cost of Rs. 16,00,000 has been stopped at 218'-0" as against the 400' originally planned, as further extension is found to be definitely unhelpful in tackling the sand accretion problem. Measures to combat the problem are under examination.

(6) *Management.*—The number of meetings held by the Port Trust Board during the year was 29.

Shri G. Venkateswara Ayyar, I.C.S., continued to be the Chairman of the Board during the year under review.

The Port Trust Board performed another year of useful work and Government view with appreciation the work done by the Board during the year under review.

N. M. AYYAR, Secy.

